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HELLS THAT TRAP CHILDREN.

Two Little Girls Arrested in a Massachusetts-Avenue Wine Room.

Emma Cavanaugh and Myrtle Irvin, aged respectively thirteen and fifteen years, were arrested in a wine room last night. Patrolman Deshong found them in a resort near the Massachusetts-avenue depot, about 10 o'clock. The girls were with two men much older than their victims, and who were supplying liberal quantities of beer. As the officer entered the room the men sprang up and dashed out at a rear door, but the girls, inexperienced in the ways of the regular patrons of these resorts, made no attempt to get away. Both were arrested and attractive misses, yet in short skirts. The Cavanaugh girl lives' at No. 33 Sullivan street. The other youthful offender, until last Saturday, resided with her father on Phipps street. Her mother is dead, and she has been in school until a few weeks ago. With the Cavanaugh girl she left home last Saturday, and both have been living in a house on South Mississippi street.

Yesterday afternoon they met the two men whom they were with last night, and by appointment went to the wine room. Myrtle Irvin sopped on the shoulder of the good matron in a broken-hearted way. She said that she could never face her father again, and pleaded with the matron to send her to the reformatory. Mrs. Buchanan cared for the erring girls last night, and to-day will make an effort to have them sent to some institution where they can be schooled in better ways. Neither of the prisoners knew the men they were with, except by their first names. Patrolman Deshong was instructed to arrest the keeper of the resort, but was unable to find him last night.

As a cause for leaving their homes, the girls said that they intended leaving the city. They had no particular destination in view, but expected to go to some city where they could secure work. Both are large for their age, and the Cavanaugh girl, the youngest of the two, is quite pretty. The families of both are respectable.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. W. J. Richards will return to-day from a short visit to her mother, Mrs. Hoover, in Lafayette. Miss Fannie Atkins will go to Memphis Tenn., this week, to visit her sister, Mrs. N. A. Gladding, for a few weeks.

Miss Margaret Smith has returned from a visit to New York and other Eastern cities, where she has been for several weeks. Mrs. James I. Lodge has sent out cards for a gathering Thursday afternoon, when she will read a story, "A Bit of Finesse." Mr. and Mrs. Hiss, of Orange, N. J., are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Alexander Spruance, on North Pennsylvania street The Sydenham Society of the Medical College of Indiana will give its annual reception the evening of the 21st at the college rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bloomfield and daugh ter, of Chicago, are the guests of relatives on College avenue, and will remain for a few days.

Miss Lottie Ransdell has issued invitations for a 4-o'clock tea. Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her guest, Miss Angeline Moon, of Eau Claire, Wis. Mrs. Louis Deschler was hostess for

white and lavender luncheon on Thursday

Dainty white baskets filled with English violets were used as favors. Mrs. W. E. Hackedorn was at home in formally yesterday afternoon, with her guest, Mrs. A. J. Halford, of Washington,

D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Halford will return Mrs. Charles P. Jacobs entertained a few young people at tea last evening in honor of her niece, Miss Florence Jacobs, of Chicago. Tea was served at 7 o'clock, and the table was daintily adorned with flowers for

Mrs. John C. Dean and Miss Georgia Butler have returned from a visit to Washington, D. C., where they went to attend a class reunion. Miss Katherine Malott, who went with them, has gone to Bryn Mawr to make a visit before coming home.

CITY NEWS NOTES.

The Hendricks Club will hold its regular monthly meeting to-night. The South-side Turnverein will give play at their hall on Thursday night. A praise meeting will be held in the parlors of the Second Presbyterian Church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs . J. Foster will speak on "Praise" and Mrs. J. A. Milburn on "Prayer." Dr. James Johnston, the African missionary, will speak at Plymouth Church to night on some of the secular subjects connected with the journey. It is the purpose

For Resisting an Officer.

of Dr. Johnston to return to Africa after

the war clouds have passed away in that

Thomas Murray, one of the proprietors of the Tuxedo saloon, was arrested by patrolmen Curran and Holtz last night on the charge of interfering with an officer. Murray was in the saloon Saturday night during the disgraceful trouble between the police and a crowd of rounders. He gave bail and was released.

How to Make "Cuckoos."

Toledo Commercial. It is alleged that there is an effort on the part of the administration to harmonize the warring elements of the Democracy. This is an easy thing to do. Mr. Cleveland has only to open the doors of the public crib to bring his Congress up to his support. No question of principle is involved: it is merely one of boodle. While the boodle holds out, the administration has in its possession the key to the situation.

Libeling Republicans.

Brooklyn Standard Union. The feeble and febrile sheets of the Democratic persuasion are guilty of chattering reproaches at Republicans whenever there is a symptom that the paralysis of business is not as paralytic as it was. Republicans never said the country was ruined, but that it was suffering losses.



HEDGE AGAIN

County Commissioners Now Have Another Song for Unemployed.

Want to Furnish the City Broken Stone at Too High a Rate-To-Night's Cabinet Meeting.

The Mayor, Board of Works, County Commissioners and a committee from the unemployed met in the Mayor's office at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon to discuss the proposition for the county to establish stoneyards, at which stone shall be broken by the unemployed at the county's expense, the city agreeing to take the stone off the county's hands when needed for public works. Nothing was accomplished and nothing will likely be accomplished if the county insists upon the price which the commissioners now say they will be compelled to ask for the broken stone.

At the meeting of the unemployed last week in the Criminal Court room, at which the County Commissioners were present, they sought to make political capital by a pretended offer which they claimed to have made to the city. They announced at the meeting that the city authorities were entirely to blame for employment not having been furnished through these stoneyards, because the commissioners had offered to the city broken stone at the cost of the stone and freight charges. They had made the offer to Mayor Denny just prior to his departure for the East. When it began to appear that the city would accept the offer the commissioners began to hedge rapidly. They are still very anxious to afford the unemployed all the work they can perform if the commissioners may have the

glory and the city bear the expense. In the meeting yesterday afternoon, when the proposition was stated that the commissioners were offering the stone to the city at the actual cost of the stone and the freight thereon, Commissioner Reinecke quickly corrected the statement and hedged completely for the commissioners. He said sent to the station. They were well-dressed, | the commissioners had been misunderstood. what they had promised to do, and denied that they had promised to furnish the stone as stated. He said the commissioners' offer was that the county would furnish the stone to the city at the entire cost, the sum total of the proposition being that the county did not intend to become engaged in the stone-breaking business as a business enterprise. They would let the city have the stone if the city would pay them what it cost at the quarry, pay the freight, pay the expense of breaking it by hand and pay any other expense that might be incurred. The commissioners very considerately offered to wait one, two or three months for payment from the city, however. There seems to be little likelihood that the proposition can be accepted, however, as the commissioners say they annot furnish the broken stone at less han about \$2 a cubic yard, while the city eas an offer from a contractor to furnish

t at \$1.15 a yard. When the new construction was placed on the county's offer by Commissioner Rei-necke, Mr. Nelson, of the committee from the unemployed, said that that was not the way in which he understood the proposition made at the meeting of the unemployed last week. At this time the commissioners had full sway and were shifting the responsibility upon the shoulders of the city administration. Mr. Nelson said the men wanted work and were willing to work for small wages. All they wanted was enough to live upon.

A committee consisting of attorney Brown and Commissioner Reinecke for the county and Messrs. Kramer and Fischer for the city was appointed to investigate the probable cost to the city a yard for stone broken in the way proposed. If it is found that the plan is practicable and not too expensive to the city, the commissioners vill try to secure several yards near the outskirts of the city, north and south, in rder to accommodate the men in going to and from their work and to accommodate the city in hauling the stone upon the

MAYOR'S CABINET MEETING. It Will Adopt the Civil Service Rules

To-Night. A cabinet meeting has been called by Mayor Denny for to-night, and at it the question of the adoption of the civil-service rules, which have been agitating the city for about a month or more, will be finally settled. The rules will undoubtedly be adopted by the cabinet, although there will be a strong opposition to them. The Mayor has repeatedly, and again yesterday, declared that he thought the charter made it mandatory upon the cabinet to adopt rules for a merit system, and he felt that it must be done. He said yesterday that he had listened patiently to every person who had desired to speak to him upon the question of the adoption of the rules. This he had done for the sake of any enlightenment which they might be able to throw upon the subject. He said he had not heard a single argument against their adoption from a legal standpoint, and had convinced persons to whom he talked that under the law the There will also be presented to the cabinet some questions concerning the street-car itigation. The city attorney desired the cabinet called together for the purpose submitting to them the questions involved in the litigation. Just what phase of the question was to be discussed, the Mayor refused to say.

ALABAMA-STREET CASE. Board of Works Listens to Remon-

strators Against Asphalt.

According to the arrangement, the remonstrants against improving Alabama street with asphalt were present before the Board of Public Works yesterday to offer their objections to that sort of pavement. Their objections were reduced to writing and submitted to the board. They have been printed heretofore. They conclude as

"We ask your honorable board to so modify the resolution you have made as to substitute for asphalt the best quality of red cedar blocks, free from sap, laid upon a porous bottom, but heavily rolled, solid, sound and gravel foundation in such a way as to make a clean, firm and durable roadway. We are assured, and if opportunity is given, can demonstrate to your board that such a pavement can be put down at less than one-half the cost of the proposed improvement, with proper guaranty for permanency and for repairs for a longer period than is required of the contractors who put down asphalt street improve-

The board listened to argument from those favoring, and from those opposed to asphalt. The opposition was led by W. Fishback, who argued against asphalt both because it was more expensive and because it was controlled by a monopoly. He said the result of the last city election was in great part due to the persistency of the last Board of Public Works in paving streets with asphalt. He then quoted figures showing the cost of different sorts of pavement. He said either a cedar block or vitrified brick pavement could be laid for \$1.70 a square yard, including curbing, etc. He said the average cost of asphalt a yard had been \$2.85. Of this amount he claimed

Dr. Todd pleaded for gravel streets. He said if the board insisted on paving Alabama street with asphalt it would confiscate the property of several women upon the street who gained a livelihood by the use of their needle. Another objection urged by him was the number of water mains and gas pipes in Alabama street. Robert Denny spoke in the same strain, and was opposed to asphalt because the product was foreign, controlled by a monopoly, and the city would be compelled to employ the members of the monopoly to repair the streets, which were constantly in need of repair when paved with asphalt. He favored the use of some material which the city could repair with unskilled labor employed by itself. W. W. Spencer spoke in favor of the use of asphalt. He said he was opposed to an asphalt ring, or any other kind of a ring, but he thought that improvements when made should be permanent, and he was in favor of asphalt or some equally good ma-

On the south section of the street there are sixty-two property owners, and forty of them joined in the remonstrance. There are nineteen property owners residing upon for it lessens the pains and perils of childbirth, shortens "labor" monstrated. On the north section of the monstrated street there are seventy-three property ownmonstrated. On the north section of the and the period of confinement, and promotes the secretion of an abundance of nourishment for abundance

them remonstrated. The question was laid over by the board without final action.

Merrill-Street Sewer Contract. Sealed proposals were received yesterday for the construction of a main sewer with appurtenances in Merrill, New Jersey and other streets and alleys, the sewer beginning at the south bank of Pogue's run in the alley between Illinois and Meridian streets and extending to Wyoming and Merrill street at a point 125 feet east of New Jersey street. They were as follows: William Bossert, \$4.64 per foot; Fulmer, Selbert & Co., \$4.12; Acme Paving and Contracting Company, \$3.90; Gansberg & Roney, \$3.68; Daniel Foley, \$3.60; A. Bruner, \$3.58, and W. C. Allen & Co., \$3.57. Allen & o. received the contract.

Cost of a Pogue's Run Bridge. The bridge over Pogue's run at Washington street, which was in course of construction during the greater part of the Sullivan campaign, will cost the city \$20,-352.20, according to the estimates in the controller's office. There may be a few small bills outstanding which will slightly increase the cost.

Finance Committee Meeting.

Chairman Rauh, of the finance committee, will probably call the committee together one night during this week for the purpose of discussing the advisability of bringing suit against the Commercial Club to collect the balance of \$17,000 remaining in the club's hands from the encampment fund.

AMUSEMENTS.

Violinist Remenyi's Career. Edouard Remenyl, who is to appear at Plymouth Church to-morrow afternoon and evening, was born in Moskoli, in Hungary. From earliest infancy he showed signs of a great musical genius. At the age of ten years he was placed under the charge of the celebrated violin instructor, Joseph Bohm, who also taught the noted Joseph Joachim. During the Hungarian uprising Remenyi, at the age of sixteen, enlisted as a soldier. His bravery was rewarded with the position of aid-de-camp on the staff of the commander-in-chief of the hero army, Gyorgey, with the title of lieutenant. After the defeat of the insurgents he went to England. En route he became acquainted with the grand music master of the age, his countryman, Franz Liszt, who recognized his great genius and be-c. ne his fast friend and adviser. Soon after the young artist's arrival in London he was solo violinist to the Oneen Having made himself famous, he was called to the court of the Emperor of Austria as chief musician. He has made a tour of the entire globe and played for the poten-tates of all nations. His first tour in America was made in 1878-79. Since then he has made another tour, and for a time was supposed to be drowned, and has had the privilege of reading his own obituary in various languages. He is the author of a valuable work on Japanese art. Remenvi possesses the oldest violins

and the amount estimated on the world. their value, for which he pays insurance is \$90,000. He also has a viola for which he has been offered \$7,500. His especial favorite violin is a Lupot, which rejoices in the name of "Her Ladyship." It was made by Nicholas Lupot in Paris in 1818. His viola is no doubt the finest in the world. It is known as "the cathedral," and was made by Paola Magini in Breschia in 1617.

English's-"A Flag of Truce." Last night was bad for melodrama. William Haworth's "A Flag of Truce" began a half-week's engagement at English's to anything but an encouraging house. "A Flag of Truce" was formerly run under the title of "Fern Cliff," or words to that effect, but as it failed to "catch on" Mr. Haworth, author of "The Ensign" and other mildly sensational as well as more or less successful pieces, gave it a hauling over and made it "A Flag of Truce." It is not a war play, but deals in several thrilling domestic scenes, the most melodramatic situation being laid in a real oldfashioned stone quarry. The men are at work cutting and hoisting the heavy blocks with the real cranes and lifts one sees in a modern quarry, and the principal characters figure in a melodramatic way before the curtain falls on a rich climax. An interesting love story runs through the piece, and in the end the heroine meets her fate and presumably dwells happily, etc.

a money-maker. Park-"The Fast Mail."

The piece was produced with great faith-

fulness to details, always insisted on by

Walter Sandford, the owner, and should be

Lincoln J. Carter's railroad drama "The Fast Mail" sustained its previous drawing powers at the Park Theater yesterday, good sized audiences being there to see the matinee and night performances despite the bad weather. The play has always been a favorite one here and seems to have lost none of its popularity, as it was received with evident satisfaction. The railroad and other effects are admirably handled, especially the freight and mail trains, the former being quite realistic, while the latter is drawn across the stage with unusual rapidity and bears a striking resemblance to what it is meant to represent. A view of Niagara falls with the mist rising from the foaming waters below is quite natural. The counterfeit steamboat, the explosion of its boilers and the wreck are all very good effects and drew out hearty applause. The company is fully equal to the requirements of the piece. Gustave Neaville as Walter West played his part in a manly way, while H. J. Thomas as James Reed, Miss Louise Mitchell as Mary Martin and Harry A Thomas as the dago all did especially well. The engagement is for to-day and to-morrow. "Peck's Bad Boy" will follow Thursday afternoon.

Coming of Sinbad. Every effort is being made by the management of English's Opera House to give a perfect representation next week of the elaborate operatic spectacle "Sinbad." The stage has been cut and prepared for the necessary mechanical effects, additional electric current has been supplied, an increased orchestra has been engaged and the dressing room accommodations have been enlarged for the reception of the big company. One of the most startling and complicated effects in the piece is a burlesque shipwreck. A pirate ship is shown shattered and the vessel wrecked. It is seen to swing around in the water and to sink beneath the waves, with the red and green signal lights burning as the boat goes down. An instant later the storm-tossed hulk is shown lying upon a coral reef in the ocean depths. And Cupid completes the

beautiful tableau by riding by in a great

sea shell drawn by marine monsters and

guiding Sinbad as he swims to the surface. Miaco's City Club at the Empire. Miaco's City Club Spectacular Company began the week at the Empire yesterday to good audiences. The stage settings are much superior to those usually shown by traveling vaudeville companies, and the costuming is in harmony. The performance opens with "The City Club at Midnight," arranged on the usual lines of vaudeville | Denver & Rio Grande route farce, giving opportunity for good singing and dancing. In the olio are Ruby Marion. who does what is billed as a "rainbow dance:" Bryant & Hawkins, in an amusing black-face act; James Lowry and Nellie Hanly, sketch artists, and Fannie Everett, in German songs. Perhaps the best features of the show are the work of the Vidocqs and the songs and recitations of Lew Hawkins. The acrobatic performance of John Vidocq presents some features that one thousand and upwards. are new. The performance ends with a burlesque called "A Tempting Town, or Wicked New York," which is pretty much what its name would indicate.

Amusement Notes. Dudley McAdow, manager of Keller, the

magician, who will be at the Grand next week, is in the city. The first of a series of three plano recitals by Blind Tom, the noted colored musician, will be given at the Grand Opera House to-night. The programme for this evening contains a number of pleasing compositions. There will be a change of bill at the matinee to-morrow and still another in the evening. The prices have been reduced to a popular scale.

The Practical Side.

The Poet's Wife-They say that poetry is a drug on the market. The Poet-Nonsense! If you'd ever sold any poetry and bought any drugs you'd know the difference.

Catarrh in the Head Is undoubtedly a disease of the blood, and as such only a reliable blood purifier can effect a perfect and permanent cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier, and it has cured many severe cases of catarrh.

LINCOLN, HOST TO-DAY

Members of the League Named for the Great Martyr to Meet.

Mass Meeting in Tomlinson Hall To-Night-The Distinguished Speakers -Lively Race for Offices.

That this is a great year for Republicans will again be demonstrated by the numbers and enthusiasm attendant upon the annual meeting of the Lincoln League of Indiana in this city to-day. Members of the league began arriving in force yesterday and the corridors of the Denison presented a lively appearance last evening. Many of the candidates for places on the State ticket were on hand looking after their interests, for the feeling is so general that this year a nomination is equivalent to an election that the candidates will do their hardest work between now and the day of the State convention. In other words, they regard the contest for the nominations as one that will require more genuine hustling than the subsequent battle with the badly disfigured and heavily handicapped Democracy.

Among the candidates noticed at the Denison last evening were: For Secretary of State-W. D. Owen, of Logansport; James E. Watson, of Rushville; Marcus R. Sulzer, of Madison, and Aaron Jones, of South Bend. Auditor of State-G. W. Wilson, of Fort Wayne; Webster S. Richey, of Muncie; John Coons, of Indianapolis, and J. Irving Riddle, of Terre Haute. Attorneygeneral-R. J. Loveland, of Peru; John W. Lovett, of Anderson, and W. L. Taylor and Thomas Hanna, of Indianapolis. Clerk of the Supreme Court-R. A. Brown, of Franklin: O. M. Tincher, of Princeton; W. R. McClelland, of Danville; Alex. Hess, of Wabash, and Oliver P. Ensley, of Auburn. Leonard Wild, of Noblesville, was help-

ing along his candidacy for State Treasurer

and had things pretty much his own way last night, none of the other candidates having arrived on the scene of action. Dr. M. N. Elrod, who wants to succeed Sylvester Gorby as State Geologist, was also among the throng of Republicans, and Judge D. W. Comstock, of Richmond, who is not averse to a Supreme judgeship, came in last evening. Prominent among the hustling Republicans of the State is Frank B, Posey, of Evansville, formerly Congressman from the First district, and who is likely to again be the nominee down there. He is here for the league meeting to-day, and says that prospects are the brightest ever known in his section for fairly deluging the enemy with majorities next fall. He cannot figure out anything but a tremendous victory, a clean sweep all around. A. M. Hardy, of Washington, a vigorous, fine-looking man, makes a similar declaration, and says he is not only going to get the nomination in the Second district, but will defeat Bretz, his Democratic oppo-In an agricultural district, with a normal majority of two thousand to overcome, it would seem that Mr. Hardy had quite a load to carry, but he has the utmost confidence that this year his district will return a Republican Congressman, and that he will be the man. The farmers there are thoroughly dissatisfied with the administration and disgusted with the disastrous times, he says, and are going to try a Republican remedy. Mr. Hardy certainly looks and talks like a winner. Other arrivals yesterday were Charles A. Styer, of Kokomo; W. W. Lambert, of Columbus, State committeeman from the Fifth district; W. B. Hunt, of Winchester; R. B. Oglesbee, of Plymouth, State committeeman from the Thirteenth district; John O. Hardesty, of Anderson; C. S. Crary, of Martinsville; John W. O'Hara, of Peru; R. E. Mansfield, of Muncie; Col. R. S. Robertson, of Fort Wayne; Frank M. Millikan, of New Castle; J. Reeves, of Richmond; W. S. Haggard, of Lafayette, and G. W. Patchell, of Union City. The late trains brought in many more and this morning there will be a

host of members in from all parts of the THE LEAGUE MEETING. The league will meet at 11 o'clock this morning at Superior Court Room No. 3. After the usual preliminary call of the roll for committeemen, etc., an adjournment will be taken until 2 p. m. At that time President Sulzer will deliver his address, following which the reports of the secretary and treasurer will be submitted. Committees on resolutions and credentials will be named and resolutions reported to the convention. Reports will then be recelved as to the condition of league work. The election of president, secretary and treasurer will then take place, after which a manager will be elected for each district, Four delegates and four alternates will be chosen from each district to represent the league at the national meeting in Denver next June, and four delegates at large will also be named, together with alternates. clude the session.

Miscellaneous business will follow and con-Besides the present president, Marcus R. Sulzer, there are several names mentioned in connection with that office, among them J. A. Kautz, proprietor of the Kokomo Tribune; A. W. Wishard, of Indianapolis; John Morris, jr., of Fort Wayne, and Julian D. Hogate, of Danville. There is a feeling among some of the members that it might be better to select a president from among those who are not candidates for a position on the State ticket. This is not urged as a serious objection, but was merely the opinion of several disinterested members. It is not known that any the presidency are candidates. They were talked of, however, to a greater or less ex-

R. E. Mansfield, of Muncie, and Allen Hendricks, of this city, were the only ones mentioned for the secretaryship. Mr. Mansfield's friends are pushing him as the proper successor of the present secretary, W. Fesler, who will not be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Hendricks has not yet been consulted on the matter, but was named last night as a possible candidate. W. R. McClellan, of Danville, will be reelected treasurer if he desires it. Nobody else has been suggested for the office. The big meeting to-night at Tomlinson Hall will draw out an enthusiastic crowd and is open to everybody. Ex-President Harrison will be present, and the speakers for the occasion are Hon. W. O. Bradley, of Lancaster, Ky., a member of the Re publican national committee; Hon. Augustus Wilson, of Louisville, and Gen. Thos. Nelson, of Terre Haute. A glee club will contribute to the enjoyment of the occasion, which will be a memorable one for

Secretary Fesler will have an assistant in the reception room of the Denison all day to-day to sign railroad certificates for delegates attending the convention. The meeting of the national league in Denver this summer, with its side trip to California, will make the contests for delegates interesting, as many of the members are anxious to go. The meeting was originally set for May, but will be postponed a month at the request of the California delegation, who desire to take a train of the delegates to the Golden Gate over the The Lincoln League of Indiana was organized Sept. 15, 1880, at a convention held in the When Block in this city, which was attended by delegates from the organized Republican clubs of the State and the Garfield and Arthur campaign clubs. John O. Hardesty, who was then president of the Young Men's Republican Club of Indiana. issued the call, and the league was the actual outgrowth of this last named organization, which comprised a membership of

G. A. R. to Remember Lincoln. To-night at their hall on North Delaware street the members of George H. Thomas Post, G. A. R., will hold a Lincoln memorial service. There will be short addresses, declamations and music.

A BATTLE WITH TRAMPS.

Six of Them Attempt to Capture a Saloon but Are Put to Flight.

For a few minutes last night it seemed that bad things were brewing in the saloon of James Hignight, at Washington and Oriental streets. Six stalwart tramps made an attempt to secure control of the place, but were put to flight by the proprietor and his son, a lad fourteen years of age. The disagreeable visitors were of the lowest class of that variety know as the "bum." About 8 o'clock they created some disturbance in the grocery store of Dan Mahoney, corner of Washington street and Arsenal avenue. Mahoney managed to get rid of the men without serious trouble, but in a Catarrh oftentimes leads to consumption. few minutes later they turned up at Hig-

men walked to the bar and called for a glass of beer. Hignight decided that the manner of his customer did not indicate the presence of the price of the beverage in his pocket, and declined to draw the beer. The tramp coolly announced that he would help himself, and started to put the threat into effect. The proprietor scented trouble and placed himself on the aggressive. He reached for a billiard cue, and as he did so the tramp's attitude graw decidedly hostile. Hignight hesitated no longer, but brought down the cue on the fellow's head with a tuneful whack. As his colleague fell another of the gang, drawing a knift from his pocket, started to the rescue. With a fierce growl he sprang forward with the open knife in his hand, but the movement was anticipated by the proprietor's son, who, fortunately, had prepared himself with the popular weapon, one of the stoutest cues in the house, and struck out manfully in defense of his father. The tramp went down like a log and lay on the floor for several minutes before he revived sufficiently to escape with his companion. The punishment inflicted by the lad quieted the turbulent gang, and before Hignight could secure the service of a police officer his place was McClellan arrested two men who gave the

rancy charge, but it is thought they were in the party that attacked Hignight. IN HONOR OF LINCOLN

names of Charles Smith and Charles

Sweeney. They were slated on the vag-

Loyal Legion Gives an Evening to Eulogy of the Martyr President.

His Character as Boy and Man, Statesman and Patriot Discussed in Fitting and Appreciative Words.

It was well that it was the worst day and night of the season, else there would have been many more companions present at the meeting of the Loyal Legion than could be taken care of. As it was, eighty members and guests were present at the banquet. Among the companions from out of town were ex-Lieutenant Governor Cumback, Major C. T. Doxey, of Anderson; Capt. Kirby, of Muncie; Dr. Young, of Terre Haute; Colonel Robertson and Capt. Donald, of Fort Wayne; Colonel Clark, of Frankfort, and Major Scott and Captain Knox, of Ladoga. The following invited guests were present:

Governor Matthews, Judge Woods, Capt. W. A. Ketcham, Dr. W. N. Wishard, Dr. T. A. Wagner, Quartermaster-general Compton, Rev. F. E. Dewhurst, N. F. Dalton, A. J. Halford, Postmaster Thompson, Colonel Holloway, Chauncey Clark, G. Woodward, W. S. R. Tarkington, Burgess Brown, O. D. Weaver, David Wallace Jesse Wick, Gen. W. J. McKee, of the Indiana Legion, C. M. Bundy, Walter Williams, S. E. Beem, C. E. Coffin, H. R. Richards, G. H. Andrews, W. A. Sampson of Muncie, Prof, J. T. Waugh of Ladoga, W. S. Richey of Muncle.

The company, headed by General Carnahan, senior vice commander, who most efficiently took the place of General Wallace, who was compelled to be absent, and Governor Matthews, entered the dining hall of the Commercial Club at 8:15. The company stood while Chaplain Lucas invoked the divine blessing and the companions responded with a fervent "amen." The banquet, which was excellent, was served, the Baldheaded Glee Club interspersing songs which called forth much applause. It was 9:30 when the cigars were lighted and Gen. Carnahan opened the literary programme in a brief explanation of the exercises of the evening and paid an eloquent tribute to Abraham Lincoln. The first topic on the programme was "Lincoln, the Boy," which was responded to by Lieutenant Thomas J. Chariton, Superintendent of the Reform School. It was a very vivid picture of the boyhood of Lincoln, showing the unfolding of his character. He held that such a life was best fitted to prepare him for the great part he was to perform-that it gave to his character the elements most needed and justified the belief that the most favored people of the world would never be lacking in men to pilot them through the greatest crises. He was frequently applauded and personally congratulated. The Bald-headed Glee Club gave another

song, after which Lieut. Charles W. Smith

of this city, responded to the toast, "Lin-

coln, the Statesman." Lieutenant Smith

spoke without notes, and every eye was fixed upon him while he sketched the most salient points in the character of Lincoln as a statesman. The speaker thought the foundation of his statesmanship was his in tegrity, which was more than a dollar-andcents honesty, but was an integrity which made him conscientious in all his work, and so careful that his conclusions were almost unerring. He could see every side of a question, and he could see more of a question than his more experienced associates, not because he had what is called intuition, but because he had the capacity, the patience and the conscientiousness to thoroughly investigate. When he became President it was feared that he would fail from lack of acquaintance with public af fairs, but it was not long before he showed himself greater than his associates in a the great crises through which he guided the Nation. Instead of being an injury. was, in the opinion of speaker, an advantage that he had not been brought up in public life and learned the custom of compromising and drifting. His superior statesmanship was shown in the fact that he did his greatest deeds at the opportune hour. He could not be hurried, but when, in his judgment, the time had come, he could not be delayed. By himself, he seems to have worked out the greatest problems of statesmanship, and had so worked them out that he was prepared to act. His conscientiousness stamped every act and every word. His humanity won him the people. He trusted them, and led as a statesman should. No mere outline can give an adequate idea of an address, every word of which was listened to so intently that applause was denied almost until he had closed, when it was as generous as he could wish. The next toast, "Lincoln, in the Present and Future," was responded to by Z. A. Smith. The central idea was that Lincoln

is the most potential character for good in the public mind to-day, and will be in all the years to come, "The Humor of Lincoln" was responded to by Lieutenant Harry C. Adams, The right man had been assigned to the most difficult task of the evening. He began by referring to Lincoln's gloomy nature. In reose he was a gloomy-looking man. H's humor was what saved him-a safetyvalve. The speaker went on to give iljustrations of a humor that never wounded, that always had a point, and was always instructive and always genuine. The llustrations which the speaker gave were related with the genius of a humorist and called forth repeated rounds of applause. it was a most appreciative exemplification f the humor of the great man. "Personal Recollections of Lincoln" was responded to be Major W. J. Richards, who

old, in a most entertaining manner, of the debate he heard as a boy between Lincoln and Douglas. Governor Matthews, when introduced, was received with applause. He spoke eloquently of the mother of Lincoln, and maintained that her early instruction of the boy planted in his mind and conscience the seeds, the fruition of which tras his grand character. He said that such conscientious mothers had the future of the Republic in their hands, and it was safe there. As the Governor took his seat the commandery rose to its feet and pledged the health of the Governor and commander-in-chief, and the Bald-headed Club responded with "So Say We All of Us."
Rev. F. E. Dewhurst, of Plymouth

Church, being called upon, made a brief but bright speech. His first great sorrow as a small boy was the death of Lincoln. He closed his brief remarks by quoting Lowell's tribute to Lincoln It was then midnight. The companions oined hands and sang "Auld Lang Syne, and thus closed one of the most delightful meetings of the Indiana Commandery. Major Doxey, of Anderson, most cordially invited the commandery to hold the May meeting, which the ladies attend, in that city, and the invitation was unanimously accepted with applause James M. Carmody, of Evansville, was elected member, and Dr. R. B. Jussup, jr., of Vincennes, successor to Dr. Jussup, deceased. Captain Donald read a very appreciative memorial of the life of the late Colonel Zollinger, of Fort Wayne.

Rioters on Trial.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 12.-The unusual sight of fifty-eight prisoners in the Criminal Court docket at one time was witnessed this morning, when the Chartlers Valley rioters were placed on trial before Judge Ewing. The defendants are being tried as one man. The first witness was W. J. Stee, operator of the Rosevale mines, who identified forty-seven of the prisoners and told of the visit of the mob to his mines, where they destroyed a number of cars and did other damage.

Sufferers from Piles

A SHERIFF'S REASONS

Why He Did Not Hang Will Purvis, the Mississippi White Cap.

He Doubted the Man's Guilt, Knew He Was Violating the Law, but Did It with "Good Intent."

JACKSON, Miss., Feb. 12.-The long-delayed communication from Sheriff Magee, of Marion county, to Governor Stone relative to his failure to hang Will Purvis at Columbia on the 7th instant has arrived. It is dated on the 8th instant, but was not received by the Governor until yesterday. "Dear Sir-Of course you have noticed from the papers, etc., by this time that I made a failure in the execution of Will Purvis. I made all the necessary arrangements for his execution in the most earnest manner, and fully intended to hang him until dead, but when the trap was thrown and he fell the knot in the rope slipped and he fell without breaking his neck. It was then the strong appeal was made by the best citizens of Marion county to not place him on the gallows again. Out of about three thousand people who had assembled to see him die I don't think there were more than a dozen but who wanted the sentence prolonged, most of them because they now believe him to be innocent, from the fact that he made some confessions. Others desired him held as a witness against the leading White Caps.

"There were four of Jim Buckley's brothers here yesterday, and I was told by reliable parties that they said Jim was mistaken about Will Purvis being present at the assassination of their brother, and that they were opposed to placing Purvis on the gallows again, and it was this that prompted me to pursue the course I did, and I think if you had been here and witnessed the scene you would doubtless done as I did. There was perfect order and quietude. Though I was aware of the fact that I was violating the statutes, I did it with a good intent, and candidly think that it would be best as it turned out as it has. I have thought all the time that Purvis was guilty until yesterday, but I now have very serious doubts about it, and think that Jim Buckley could have been honestly mistaken. Trusting that all will work out right by the next term of court, I am yours truly, L. O. MAGEE." The Governor was asked if he had anything to say concerning the case, and he replied that he had not. It is evident from letters received that another desperate attempt will be made to induce him to pardon Purvis or place him in the penitentiary for life. It is difficult, however, to see how any action can be taken till Purvis is resentenced by the next June term of the Circuit Court. As things are now, while convicted, he is under no sentence whatever. He is exactly in the attitude of a criminal convicted of murder but not sentenced. Fortunately, Section 1415 of the code of 1892 fits the case exactly, providing, as it does, for a re-sentence where first sentence for any cause fails of execution.

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 12.-This morning persons passing noticed that a rude hut which has stood near the East Texas road

Murdered and Burned.

in the suburbs was in ashes. On examination they discovered the dead and charred remains of Mike Dolan, its owner. An examination of the body showed that Dolan had been stabbed twice and shot once. Jim Hill and Peter Powell, two negroes have been arrested, but there is little evidence of their guilt. White Tramp Probably Lynched.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Feb. 12.-Nora, the seventeen-year-old daughter of farmer W. N. Williams, was criminally assaulted by white tramp near Quito, Shelby county, vesterday. The tramp was captured lefferson county this morning. He refused to give his name. He has not arrived at the jail, nor is he expected, as he was left it is understood, on the scene of his capture with several loads of buckshot in his body.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 12.-Matthew R Ashton, convicted of murder at Janesville two weeks ago and brought to the Dane county jail for safe keeping, pending a motion for a new trial because the jail at

Murderer with Smallpox.

Janesville was quarantined on account of a case of smallpox, was to-day discovered to be suffering from the disease. Farmer Assassinated. VALLEY, VIEW, Ky., Feb. 12.-Madison Todd, a wealthy farmer living between Wado and Richmond, was assassinated Saturday night. His murderer fired two

loads of buckshot through a window into his body. His brother Will and a negro

have been arrested as the perpetrators. Shot His Teamster. CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.-Chester Mullen, coal dealer, shot and killed James Thomas, his colored teamster, to-day during a quarrel over money retained by

WHY THE PRINCESS FLED. She Learned that Colonna Was Plotting

Thomas. Mullen claims self-defense.

to Steal One of Her Children. NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-Mr. J. W. Mackay jr., was seen by a reporter this morning and said that he was authorized to make public the following statement, which was written and signed by the Princess Colon-

"I authorize you to state that my sudder decision to leave France and come to America was due solely to a plot which I discovered that Prince De Galatro Colonna. my husband, had formed to steal one of my children from me as a hostage, individuals having been employed by him to that effect as well as to closely watch my movements. The statement was signed by "Princess Eveline De Galatro Colonna." Mr. Mackay said that he had nothing further to say in reference to the matter, and that the Princess had no plans for the future.

Snow Fall.

There is no silence like when snow doth fall When the winds rest, and trees stand straight and still When on the meadowland and on the hill Stopped for the moment is the wild bird's Stopped still is everything but snow, and all

The world grows white with downy, downy flakes that fill The hollows and lie deep on the window Everything's white except my Jen's red meet her coming home from school and And wall, peside her through the forest

My heart is but an instrument she plays, and yet an instrument none else can learn. What matters it if all the whole world Snow-cold if Jennie's heart is warm for me? -Philip L. Barker.

MRS. GEORGE W. CHILDS. Charming Personality of the Dead Philanthropist's Widow.

New York Commercial Advertiser. Mrs. Emma Peterson Childs, widow of the great philanthropist, is one of the queens of the Quaker City. In manner she is most charming. She is a brunette, too, with fine expressive black eyes. She is rather petite, though she dresses so well that she looks taller than she really is. Mrs. Childs generally arranges her fine, glossy tresses in the sweet old style, parted straight down the middle and combed quite smoothly over the temples. Until her husband's death she was invited everywhere, From the beginning of December until the coming of Lent invitations fell upon her like a cloud of snow. She was, perhaps, the most sought for woman in Philadelphia and the most rarely seen out. Mrs. Childs, on her own part, however, entertained a good deal in a quiet way in her own house. She was particularly fond of meeting her friends | important trust Mr. Drummond accepted at table in her superb dining room. Even at the most ordinary family dinner one or two men served, and at large dinners there was sometimes a man servant for nearly every guest. The cable service is something that any

hostess might be proud of. It would grace the presidential table. It would, indeed, be a revelation to the capital. Nothing like it has been seen in the executive mansion, even since the days when Mrs. Washington took a primitive, if wifely, pride in her cups and plates. Nothing like it is to be seen, indeed, in any other house in the country, no, not even in the establishment of the late Mrs. John Jacob Astor. Like the late Mrs. Astor, Mrs. Childs also possesses a superb gold dinner service. In addition she has no end of silver, and, what is most of consequence, she has an incomparable treasury of china and glass.

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clave this (Tuesday) evening, at 7:30

ten years and four months; died at 7:30

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splendid dinner, with, perhaps, the Neapoll tan china service that Mr. Childs bought over the heads of the South Kensington Museum for \$10,000, is something well worth the fatigue of a journey. She makes a charming hostess, too. And indeed, how could she be other, for she has years of social experience of the best kind, and has perhaps entertained more people of distinction than any other woman in Amer-

Ex-Chief Drummond

A. L. Drummond, who recently resigned his high position as chief of the secret service of the treasury to resume active control in the Stewart Building of the agency that he left in the hands of his son three years ago, has the distinction of being the only man that ever entered the service at the foot of the ladder and worked himself to the very top round. This is no small attainment, and none but a man peculiarly fitted as he was for the high office could have achieved such a distinctive honor. He entered the secret service in 1871, and in 1879 was placed in charge of the New York division, the most important in the service-In 1888 he resigned and established an agency in the Stewart Building, where he remained for three years, during which time he investigated many intricate cases with success. In January, 1991, he was tendered the position of Chief of the Secret Service by the late Secretary Windom, To and transferred his private business to his son, Lewis E. Drummond, whose inherent sagacity in the line of detective work made him a fit successor. Since he assumed the chiefship Mr. Drummond has drafted and secured the enactment by Congress of several important criminal laws and secured the arrest and conviction of numerous wrongdoers. It was he who captured A. A Cadwalader in Brazil and brought him back without a requisition. His cleverest work, however, was in the arrest of Henry S Cochrane and the recovery of over \$100,000 in gold coin and builion which had been stolen from the Philadelphia mint.

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